### MEN OF THE HOUR.

THE NEW CABINET MINISTER.



Frank Hatton, the Postmaster-General.

The retirement of Judge Gresham from the Postoffice Department has led to the promotion of Frank Hatton from being First Assistant Postmaster-General to the chief position. He was First Assistant Postmaster-General from October 22, 1881, to October 14, 1884. Before that time he had been Postmaster at Burlington, Iowa, and his acquaintance with the mail service is thorough.

Frank Hatton was born at Cadiz, Ohio, in the year 1845. After receiving a good education, he was placed in his father's office, where he learned the business of printing. He fought on the Union side during the war. Upon his return from campaigning, he became a local editor on the staff of the newspaper owned by his father, at Cadiz, and afterwards at Mount Pleasant, Iowa. When his father died, he became proprietor and editor-in-chief of the journal long conducted by that gentleman. In 1874 he bought a half interest in the Burlington Hawkeye. It was not long before he owned the whole property, and by judicious business management, combined with superior editorial ability, had given it distinction both in state and national politics.

A wonderful chasm has recently been discovered in San Luis Obispo county, Cal. An adventurous explorer was lowered into it to the depth of 4,000 feet without finding any bottom. The sides of the chasm are covered with magnificent erenm-colored stalactities.

A Skillful Surgical Operation.

The American Ambassador at Vienna, Mr. Kasson, his lately forwarded to his Government an interesting account of a remarkable surgical operation lately per formed by Professor Billworth, of Vienna, trial, which I did. I am now happy to which, wonderful to tell, consisted in the removal of a portion of the human health. stomach, involving nearly one-third of the is a dizziness, a whilstling sensation, and he is obliged to grasp something firm to keep from falling. The bowels costive, the skin dry and hot at times; the blood becoming thick and stagnant, and does not circulate properly. After a time the patient spits up food soon after eating, sometimes in a sour and fermented condition, sometimes sweetish to the taste, Oftentimes there is a palpitation of the heart, and the patient fears he may have heart disease. Towards the last the patient is unable to retain any food whatever, as the opening in the intestines becomes close or nearly so. Although this disease is indeed alarming, sufferers with the above-named tomisymps should no feel nervous, for nine hundred and ninety-nine cases out of a thousand have no cancer, but simply dyspepsia, a disease easily removed if treated in a proper manner. The safest and best remedy for the disease is Siegel's Curative Syrup, a vegetable preparation sold by all chemists and medicine vendors throughout the world, and by the proprietors, A. J. White (Limited), 17 Farringdon road, London, E. C. This syrup strikes at the very foundation of the disease, and drives it, root and branch, out of the system.

St. Mary street, Peterborough, November 29th, 1881. Sir-It gives me great pleasure to in-

form you of the benefit I have received from Siegel's Syrup. I have been troubled for years with dyspepsia; but after a few deses of the Syrup I found relief, and after taking two bottles of I feel quite

> I am, Sir, yours truly, WILLIAM BRENT, September 8th.

Mr. A. White:

Dear Sir-I find the sale of Siegel's Syrup steadily increasing. All who have tried it, speak very highly of its medicinal virtues; one customer describes it as a "Godsend to dyspeptic people." I always recommend it with confidence.

Faithfully yours, VINCENT A. WILLIS, Chemist Dentist, Merthyr Tydvil.

To Mr. A. J. White: Siegel's Operating Pills are the best family physic that has ever been discovered. They cleanse the bowels from all irritating substances, and leave them in a healthy condition. They cure cos-

Preston Sept. 21st, 1883. My dear Sir-Your Syrup and Pills are still very popular with customers, many saying they are the best family medicines possible.

The other day a customer for two bottles of Syrup, and said "Mother Siegel" had Orders, saved the life of his wife; and he added, "one of these bottles I am sending fifteen miles away to a friend who is very ill. I have much faith in it."

The sale keeps up wonderfully ; in fact, one would fancy almost that the people were beginning to breakfast, dine, aud sup on Mother Seigel's Syrup, the demand is so constant, and the satisfaction so

I am, dear Sir, yours faithfully, W. BOWKER. (Signed) To A. J. White, Esq.

Spanish Town, Jamaica, West Indies, Oct. 24, 1882.

Dear Sir,-I write to inform you that I have derived great benefit from "Seigel's Syrup." For some years I have suffered from liver complaint, with its many and varied concomitant evils, so that my life was a perpetual misery. Twelve months ago I was induced to try Seigel's Syrup, and although rather sceptical, having tried so many reputed infallible remedies, I determined to give it at least a fair trial. In two or three days I felt considerably better, and now at the end of twelve months (having continued taking it) I am glad to say that I am a different being altogether. It is said of certain pens that they "come as a boon and a blessing to men," and have no reason to doubt the truthfulness of the statement. I can truly say, however, that Seigel's Syrup has come as a "been and a blessing" to me. I have recommended it to several fellowsufferers from this distressing complaint, and their testimony is quite in accordance with my own. Gratitude for the benefit I have derived from the excellent preparation prompts me to furnish you with this unsolicited testimonial.

I am, dear Sir, yours ever gratefully, (Signed) CARRY B. BERRY, Bantist Missionary.

A. J. White, Esq.

Hensingham, Whitehaven, October 16, 1882.

Mr. A. J. White, - Dear Sir: I was for some time afflicted with piles, and was advised to give Mother Seigel's Syrup a state that it has restored me to complete

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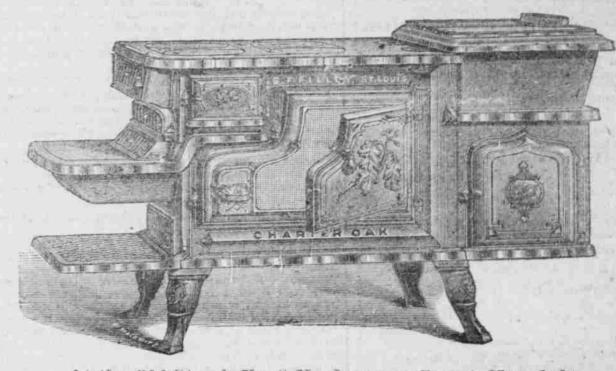
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